Transportation Planning and Programming Division Technical Services

Specification 149312

Scope: This specification describes the minimum properties for an acrylic polymer adhesive grouting mixture that provides sufficient flexibility and ductility in a wide range of temperatures, performs well under fatigue, and exhibits durability in a highway environment to be used to seal cracks and bond to metals, asphalt, concrete and Portland cement for the purpose of bonding piezoelectric sensors into saw cuts in roadway surfaces.

- 1. <u>Chemical Name</u>: Acrylate Polymer dissolved in Methacylate Monomer, i.e. Methyl Methacrylate and 2-Ethylhexyl Acrylate.
- 2. <u>Viscosity</u>: The viscosity a 25 degrees C, (77 degrees F), shall be in the range 20 to 40 Pa-s; per ASTM D 2393.
- 3. <u>Gel Time</u>: Five to Twenty minutes at 25 degrees C, (77 degrees F).
- 4. <u>Vicat Set Time</u>: Equal to or less than 30 minutes.
- 5. <u>Compressive Strength</u>: Equal to or greater than 1,000 psi.
- 6. <u>Cured Hardness</u>: 45 to 50 Shd after one (1) hour.
- 7. <u>Bond Flexural Strength</u>: Equal to or greater than 100 psi to asphalt and equal to or greater than 300 psi to concrete.
- 8. Complex Shear Modulus: 2,000 10,000 psi at 25 degrees C.
- 9. <u>Density</u>: The monomer shall have a minimum density of 1.8 grams per cubic centimeter.
- 10. <u>Shrinkage</u>: 1.0 % to 0.5%.
- 11. <u>Packaging</u>: The liquid material shall come in a metal paint-type can containing 5 kg to 6 kg. of material per can with a minimum of two (2) inches of airspace in the top of the can to facilitate constituent mixing. The catalyst ingredient shall come in a sealed container with a sufficient quantity to prepare one can of bonding material for use.
- 12. Examples: ECM P5GCH5OL

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